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Dear Sir:

This is a Response to the first Office action, mailed 14th June, 2007. This Response is timely filed.

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